

May 11, 2006

Ms. Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St. SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Docket 01-309
Hearing-Aid Compatibility Report
Kodiak Wireless, LLC

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is the annual update on the evolution toward hearing-aid compatibility for CMRS carriers required by the Commission's Hearing-Aid Compatibility Order. Kodiak's status remains much as it was in previous years' reports. Because it operates a TDMA/AMPS analog cellular system, no manufacturers to our knowledge have developed hearing-aid compatible headsets which can be used in a system like Kodiak's. Moreover, as analog systems approach their sunset date, it becomes increasingly unlikely that any new equipment will be developed since the market for any such equipment is rapidly shrinking to zero. The company continues to stock the Nokia and Motorola handset models referenced in its May 2003 report. In addition, Kodiak continues to make available loop-set accessories to its subscribers which render the analog handsets compatible for use with hearing aids.

The one new development of note is that the Kodiak system is proposed to be sold to a new owner in the next couple of months. It is anticipated that the new owners will upgrade the system in numerous ways, including an eventual conversion to digital operations which will greatly facilitate hearing-aid compatible features.

Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions regarding this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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